



BATOD Specialist Deaf School Survey Project Co-ordinator

Specialist Deaf Schools offer a bespoke educational and social environment. Over the years, the education, health and social care sectors have evolved to changes resulting from global Covid-19 pandemic, change in Government, research studies and technology.

This short-term project will capture the current-day picture of Specialist Deaf School in the United Kingdom and Ireland, in partnership with BATOD, the Sign Bilingual Consortium, and Specialist Deaf Schools.

Job Description

The project co-ordinator will be commissioned for a total of 10 days. The co-ordinator will work a maximum of one to two days per week for the duration of the project which will be four months. Hours will be deployed flexibly to meet the demands of the project.

Remuneration: £3000 for the set period.

The project co-ordinator will:

- Review questions from 2018/19 CRIDE survey with feedback from Specialist School Headteachers, CRIDE, Sign Bilingual Consortium and BATOD representatives to generate the survey
- Chair a consultation meeting with Specialist School Headteachers, CRIDE, Sign Bilingual Consortium and BATOD representatives
- Work with BATOD to disseminate the survey
- Analyse the responses, identifying themes, draft a report for consultation with the Specialist School Headteachers, CRIDE, Sign Bilingual Consortium and BATOD representatives
- Finalise the report and submit to BATOD for dissemination through BATOD communication channels
- Submit an article to the BATOD Magazine
- Adhere to BATOD policies and practice

Person Specification

1. Significant, recent experience and proven record of similar project management
2. Experience of applying research applications to data analysis
3. Outstanding communication skills, written and verbal presentation



4. Competent in IT
5. Understanding of the work of BATOD, and experience in deaf education is desirable but not essential
6. Experience of working in specialist deaf schools is desirable but not essential
7. Up to date knowledge of educational practise across the UK and Ireland
8. Excellent organisation skills

Recruitment process:

1. Submission of CV and accompanying letter of application (up to 800 words) by noon, 5th November 2025 to exec@batod.org.uk
2. Interview process – interviews will be conducted virtually on a date to be confirmed.
3. Candidates will be informed of the outcome of their application. At that stage shortlisted candidates invited for interview will be informed of the presentation title.

Accountability of post holder

The project co-ordinator will be accountable to BATOD steering group through a named person.

Financial management of the project will be in liaison with the BATOD Treasurer.